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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

ORACLE, USA, INC., a Colorado)
corporation; ORACLE AMERICA,)
INC., a Delaware corporation;)
and ORACLE INTERNATIONAL)
CORPORATION, a California)
corporation,)
Plaintiffs,)
vs.) No. 2:10-cv-00106
RIMINI STREET, INC., a) -LRH-PAL
Nevada corporation; SETH)
RAVIN, an individual,)
Defendants.)

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VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF DAVID RADTKE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2011

REPORTED BY:

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1		1	SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA;
2		2	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2011; 9:04 A.M.
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4		4	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Good morning. We are
5		5	on the record, ladies and gentlemen, at 9:04 a.m. 09:04:29
6		6	on September 7th, 2011. This is the videotaped
7	VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF DAVID RADTKE,	7	deposition of David Radtke.
8	taken on behalf of the Plaintiff, at BINGHAM	8	My name is Benjamin Gerald, here with
9	McCUTCHEN, LLP, Three Embarcadero Center,	9	our court reporter Janis Jennings. We are here from
10	28th Floor, San Francisco, California,	10	Veritext National Deposition & Litigation Services 09:04:52
11	commencing at 9:04 a.m., Wednesday,	11	at the request of counsel for plaintiff.
12	September 7, 2011, before Janis Jennings,	12	This deposition is being held at
13	Certified Shorthand Reporter No. 3942, CLR,	13	Three Embarcadero Center in City of San Francisco,
14	CCRR.	14	California.
15		15	The caption of this case is Oracle, 09:05:10
16		16	USA, Incorporated, et al., versus Rimini Street,
17		17	Incorporated, and Seth Ravin. The case number is
18		18	2:10-cv-00106-LRH-PAL.
19		19	Please note that audio and video recording
20		20	will take place unless all parties agree to go off 09:05:48
21		21	the record. Microphones are sensitive and may pick
22		22	up whispers, private conversations and cellular
23		23	interference.
24		24	At this time will counsel and all present
25		25	please identify themselves for the record. 09:05:59
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1	APPEARANCES OF COUNSEL:	1	MR. POLITO: John Polito for Oracle.
2		2	MR. HILL: Zachary Hill for Oracle.
3	FOR THE PLAINTIFFS:	3	MR. HOWARD: Geoff Howard for Oracle.
4	BINGHAM MCCUTCHEN LLP	4	MR. RECKERS: Rob Reckers for the
5	BY: JOHN POLITO, ESQ.	5	defendants. 09:06:11
6	GEOFFREY M. HOWARD, ESQ.	6	THE WITNESS: David Radtke for Rimini
7	ZACHARY HILL, ESQ.	7	Street.
8	Three Embarcadero Center	8	MR. RECKERS: Good enough.
9	San Francisco, California 94111-4067	9	THE WITNESS: Good enough?
10	415.393.2314	10	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Thank you. 09:06:17
11	john.polito@bingham.com	11	Would the reporter swear in the witness.
12	geoff howard@bingham.com	12	
13	zachary hill@bingham.com	13	DAVID RADTKE,
14		14	The deponent herein, was sworn and
15	FOR THE DEFENDANTS:	15	testified as follows: 09:06:18
16	SHOOK, HARDY & BACON LLP	16	
17	By: ROBERT RECKERS, ESQ.	17	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Thank you.
18	JP Morgan Chase Towers	18	Please proceed.
19	600 Travis Street, Suite 1600	19	
20	Houston, Texas 77002	20	EXAMINATION 09:06:33
21	713.227.8008	21	BY MR. POLITO:
22	rreckers@shb.com	22	Q. Good morning, Mr. Radtke.
23		23	A. Good morning.
24	ALSO PRESENT:	24	Q. My name is John Polito. We met just
25	BENJAMIN GERALD, Videographer	25	before your deposition began. I'm here representing 09:06:38
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<p>1 Oracle.</p> <p>2 Have you had your deposition taken before,</p> <p>3 Mr. Radtke?</p> <p>4 A. No, I have not.</p> <p>5 Q. I'm sure you've been ably prepared by 09:06:44</p> <p>6 counsel, but I do want to remind you of a few rules.</p> <p>7 Even though we're here in a lovely conference room</p> <p>8 in an informal setting, the oath that you swore has</p> <p>9 the same force and effect as if you were present in</p> <p>10 a court of law. 09:07:00</p> <p>11 Do you understand that?</p> <p>12 A. Yes.</p> <p>13 Q. The court reporter is taking down</p> <p>14 everything that you say and everything that I say.</p> <p>15 The court reporter may not be able to take down 09:07:05</p> <p>16 head gestures so please respond verbally rather than</p> <p>17 with -- rather than physically. Also please say</p> <p>18 "yes" or "no" rather than "uh-huh" or "huh-huh"</p> <p>19 because those are very ambiguous on the record.</p> <p>20 Okay? 09:07:17</p> <p>21 A. Okay.</p> <p>22 Q. If I ask a question that you do not</p> <p>23 understand, please ask me for clarification;</p> <p>24 otherwise I will assume that you've understood</p> <p>25 my question. Is that fair? 09:07:27</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 6</p>	<p>1 Q. Anyone else on the phone?</p> <p>2 A. No.</p> <p>3 Q. Did you discuss what you said at that</p> <p>4 meeting with anyone else?</p> <p>5 A. No, I haven't. 09:08:21</p> <p>6 Q. How long did you meet yesterday?</p> <p>7 A. Approximately 6 and a half, 7 hours.</p> <p>8 Q. Is that the only preparation that you did</p> <p>9 for your deposition today?</p> <p>10 A. Yes, it is. 09:08:29</p> <p>11 Q. Did you review any documents yesterday?</p> <p>12 A. Miscellaneous documents that Rob had</p> <p>13 presented me with. Yeah.</p> <p>14 Q. You reviewed a series of documents that</p> <p>15 counsel presented to you? 09:08:44</p> <p>16 A. Uh-huh. Uh-huh.</p> <p>17 Q. Did any of those documents remind you of</p> <p>18 something that you had forgotten?</p> <p>19 A. No, they didn't.</p> <p>20 Q. Generally speaking, what kind of documents 09:08:51</p> <p>21 were they?</p> <p>22 A. Oh, things like emails and instant</p> <p>23 messengers -- instant messaging logs, and then</p> <p>24 that's about it.</p> <p>25 Q. Any technical materials? 09:09:02</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 8</p>
<p>1 A. Yes.</p> <p>2 Q. And you'll have an opportunity to</p> <p>3 review and comment upon the transcript after the</p> <p>4 deposition. Do you understand that?</p> <p>5 A. Yes. 09:07:35</p> <p>6 Q. But any changes that you make, anyone</p> <p>7 can comment on those changes at trial. Do you</p> <p>8 understand?</p> <p>9 A. Yes.</p> <p>10 Q. Is there any reason that you can't give me 09:07:41</p> <p>11 your best testimony today?</p> <p>12 A. No.</p> <p>13 Q. Do you have any physical or mental</p> <p>14 conditions that would interfere with your ability</p> <p>15 to testify to the best of your ability today? 09:07:53</p> <p>16 A. No, I don't. I have a slight head cold,</p> <p>17 but that's about it so...</p> <p>18 Q. I think that should be fine.</p> <p>19 What did you do to prepare for your</p> <p>20 deposition today, Mr. Radtke? 09:08:02</p> <p>21 A. I met with our attorneys yesterday.</p> <p>22 Q. And by your attorneys --</p> <p>23 A. Rob; yes.</p> <p>24 Q. Anyone else present at that?</p> <p>25 A. No. 09:08:13</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 7</p>	<p>1 A. No, nothing like that.</p> <p>2 Q. Okay. Did you look at the transcripts of</p> <p>3 any other depositions in this matter?</p> <p>4 A. No, I haven't. No.</p> <p>5 Q. Did you take any notes during your prep 09:09:12</p> <p>6 with --</p> <p>7 A. No, I did not.</p> <p>8 Q. Have you looked at any of the written</p> <p>9 documents in this case; the complaint or the</p> <p>10 discovery responses? 09:09:23</p> <p>11 A. No, I have not.</p> <p>12 Q. Did you bring anything with you today</p> <p>13 relating to your deposition?</p> <p>14 A. No.</p> <p>15 DEPOSITION REPORTER: We need to go off 09:09:32</p> <p>16 the record for a moment.</p> <p>17 MR. POLITO: Sure. Let's go off the</p> <p>18 record.</p> <p>19 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 9:09 a.m.</p> <p>20 and we are off the record. 09:09:38</p> <p>21 (Off the record.)</p> <p>22 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 9:12 a.m.</p> <p>23 and we are back on the record.</p> <p>24 BY MR. POLITO:</p> <p>25 Q. Mr. Radtke, you're currently employed by 09:12:46</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 9</p>

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Rimini Street? A. Yes. Q. And your title is Senior PeopleSoft Support Developer? A. Actually, I've moved to another team. 09:12:53 Q. Okay. A. It used to be Senior PeopleSoft Developer.	1
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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	Q. Did you know C# before you joined Rimini Street? A. No, I did not. Q. Are you generally facile at programming languages, though? 09:14:15 A. Yes, I am. Q. Such that it was easy for you to pick that up? A. Yes. Yes, it is. 09:14:27	1
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1		1	A. I'm not aware of that so I wouldn't -- I	
		2	can't recall.	
		3	Q. Okay. But in 2002?	
		4	A. Yeah, I left in 2002.	
		5	Q. Okay. So what version was the current	09:20:07
		6	version of financials at that time?	
		7	A. I think it was 8.1 financials or 8.4	
		8	financials. Maybe it was 8.4.	
		9	Q. Okay. I'm not sure that there is an 8.1	
		10	so...	09:20:19
		11	A. Okay. I can't -- that was a long time	
		12	ago. But I think it was 8.4.	
		13	Q. And at that time were you programming in	
		14	COBOL?	
		15	A. No, I was not.	09:20:27
		16	Q. Were you programming in SQR?	
		17	A. No, I was not.	
		18	Q. What were you -- were you writing any code	
		19	at that time?	
20	Your previous technical job before Rimini	20	A. PeopleCode and SQL would have been the two	09:20:33
21	Street was working at PeopleSoft or Oracle; is that	21	natural code languages I was using.	
22	correct?	22	Q. So "PeopleCode" meaning the code that is	
23	A. That would have been a number -- technical	23	created using Application Designer?	
24	job, yes, that is correct.	24	A. In App Designer, yes, yes.	
25	Q. Okay. And in between you were the founder	25	Q. And that's part of PeopleTools?	09:20:48
	09:18:45			
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1	and president of a music school?	1	A. Yes, it is.	
2	A. Yes, that's correct.	2	Q. And then when you say "SQL," are you	
3	Q. So when did you leave PeopleSoft or	3	talking about SQL that is used as part of a Data	
4	Oracle?	4	Mover script?	
5	A. It would have been PeopleSoft at that	5	A. No. I'm referring to "SQL" in a generic	09:20:58
6	time, and that was approximately May of 2002.	6	sense that it's used by multiple databases. It's a	
7	Q. And what was your title at that time when	7	very common database language so at that time the	
8	you left?	8	PeopleSoft product would run on many database	
9	A. I believe it was a Senior Software	9	platforms.	
10	Developer.	10	Q. Were you part of the PeopleTools team?	09:21:11
11	Q. To whom did you report?	11	A. No, I was not.	
12	A. The manager's name was Vivek Salgar.	12	Q. Isn't it true that PeopleTools actually	
13	Q. And what were your responsibilities	13	attempts to abstract away the differences between	
14	generally at PeopleSoft?	14	databases?	
15	A. I was working on the financials	15	A. Maybe at some level, but I'm not aware of	09:21:22
16	architecture team. We were responsible for -- and	16	what the -- how that would actually occur.	
17	this was strictly on the financials product line,	17	Q. Is it generally the case that people would	
18	which is like general ledger, accounts payable,	18	take SQL fragments or SQL-like commands and put them	
19	expenses. So the architecture team was responsible	19	in a Data Mover script when they're working with	
20	for streamlining and integrating those products.	20	PeopleSoft applications?	09:21:36
21	Q. Integrating them with what?	21	A. Yes, people do do that, yes.	
22	A. With each other so they just work more	22		
23	efficiently together.			
24	Q. Was this before the merger of financials			
25	and supply chain management?			
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<p>1 Q. What is PeopleCode?</p> <p>2 A. It's a programming language that's used</p> <p>3 in App Designer to develop logic generally for</p> <p>4 online-type transactions within the PeopleSoft</p> <p>5 system. So it will perform editing functions as 09:26:37</p> <p>6 an example.</p> <p>7 Q. Is it like the event code that might be</p> <p>8 triggered in Visual Basic, to use a rough analogy?</p> <p>9 A. I would say it could be similar to that;</p> <p>10 similar in the sense that, yes, you could have an 09:26:54</p> <p>11 event that occurs and it triggers some code to</p> <p>12 process, yes.</p> <p>13 Q. Is it fair that PeopleCode also does other</p> <p>14 things besides event handling?</p> <p>15 A. Well, yes, in the sense that it can be 09:27:06</p> <p>16 processing in terms of looping and validation.</p> <p>17 Q. Have you kept up-to-date on changes in</p> <p>18 PeopleCode after you left PeopleSoft?</p> <p>19 A. No, I have not.</p> <p>20 Q. Are you able to use, for instance, 09:27:21</p> <p>21 Application Engine objects?</p> <p>22 A. I would have to really go back and refresh</p> <p>23 my memory on that. I haven't used Application</p> <p>24 Engine in a very long time.</p> <p>25 Q. Is it fair to say that you are one of the 09:27:32</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 22</p>	<p>1 A. I'm not a very strong COBOL programmer.</p> <p>2 Q. Well, which particular -- I'm sorry.</p> <p>3 Did you use COBOL while you were at</p> <p>4 PeopleSoft?</p> <p>5 A. No, I did not. 09:29:01</p> <p>6 Q. Have you used it while you're at Rimini</p> <p>7 Street?</p> <p>8 A. I have merely used it more as a -- to</p> <p>9 assist other developers, but I haven't actually done</p> <p>10 any development in COBOL. 09:29:13</p> <p>11 Q. So in the sense of code review?</p> <p>12 A. Code review, very light code reviews,</p> <p>13 nothing too technical with the COBOL. But I haven't</p> <p>14 actually created any COBOL statements of my own</p> <p>15 since I've been at Rimini Street. 09:29:27</p> <p>16 Q. Why did you leave PeopleSoft in 2002?</p> <p>17 A. I was just looking for something else to</p> <p>18 do with my career. I had a very strong interest in</p> <p>19 entrepreneurialism and wanting to do something on my</p> <p>20 own. And I enjoyed music very much and just decided 09:29:30</p> <p>21 that I was really interested in pursuing something</p> <p>22 else. So the bottom line is those would be the</p> <p>23 reasons why I was leaving PeopleSoft.</p> <p>24 Q. So why did you come back to programming</p> <p>25 work? 09:30:06</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 24</p>
<p>1 most expert PeopleCode developers at Rimini Street?</p> <p>2 A. Yes, I'd say that would be a fair</p> <p>3 statement.</p> <p>4 Q. If I say the phrase "online objects,"</p> <p>5 would that include PeopleCode? 09:27:52</p> <p>6 A. Yes, that would.</p> <p>7 Q. What else would that include?</p> <p>8 A. It could also include pages, records --</p> <p>9 record structures actually, different than records</p> <p>10 that would be in a database; fields. So it would be 09:28:05</p> <p>11 things like that, PeopleCode as well, yeah.</p> <p>12 Q. Is that -- are those a set of user</p> <p>13 interface components?</p> <p>14 A. I'm not exactly sure. You'd have to be</p> <p>15 a little more specific. "User interface" could be 09:28:23</p> <p>16 different...</p> <p>17 Q. Sure. Do they show up on a page?</p> <p>18 A. Okay. Yes. Yes, they do. Yes. The</p> <p>19 pages in the fields, text, yes, they'll show up</p> <p>20 on a page. 09:28:35</p> <p>21 Q. And you can also hang PeopleCode off of</p> <p>22 those, to use a nontechnical term?</p> <p>23 A. Yes, you can. Yes.</p> <p>24 Q. How expert are you in the use of the COBOL</p> <p>25 programming language? 09:28:49</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 23</p>	<p>1 A. Well, it was really more of a personal</p> <p>2 situation. So after running a business for six</p> <p>3 years, having two children during that time, working</p> <p>4 very long hours in my own business, I came to a</p> <p>5 realization that I wanted to spend more time with my 09:30:22</p> <p>6 family and it was just much easier and simpler to</p> <p>7 work for somebody else.</p> <p>8 Q. Did you seek reemployment at Oracle when</p> <p>9 you decided to go back to development work?</p> <p>10 A. No, I did not. 09:30:37</p> <p>11 Q. How did you find out about Rimini Street?</p> <p>12 A. My wife actually worked with Susan</p> <p>13 Tahtaras at PeopleSoft and so we -- Susan was</p> <p>14 essentially a referral -- I was a referral to Rimini</p> <p>15 Street through my wife via Susan. 09:30:53</p> <p>16 Q. To make sure I understand, did</p> <p>17 Ms. Tahtaras suggest to your wife that you should</p> <p>18 work at Rimini Street?</p> <p>19 A. No, I don't think she did.</p> <p>20 Q. Okay. 09:31:12</p> <p>21 A. No. No. This would have been my wife</p> <p>22 referring me to Susan and then Rimini Street</p> <p>23 reviewing my resume, calling me in for an interview.</p> <p>24 Q. Got it.</p> <p>25 A. Okay. 09:31:25</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 25</p>

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Q Okay. Would it be the case that if there

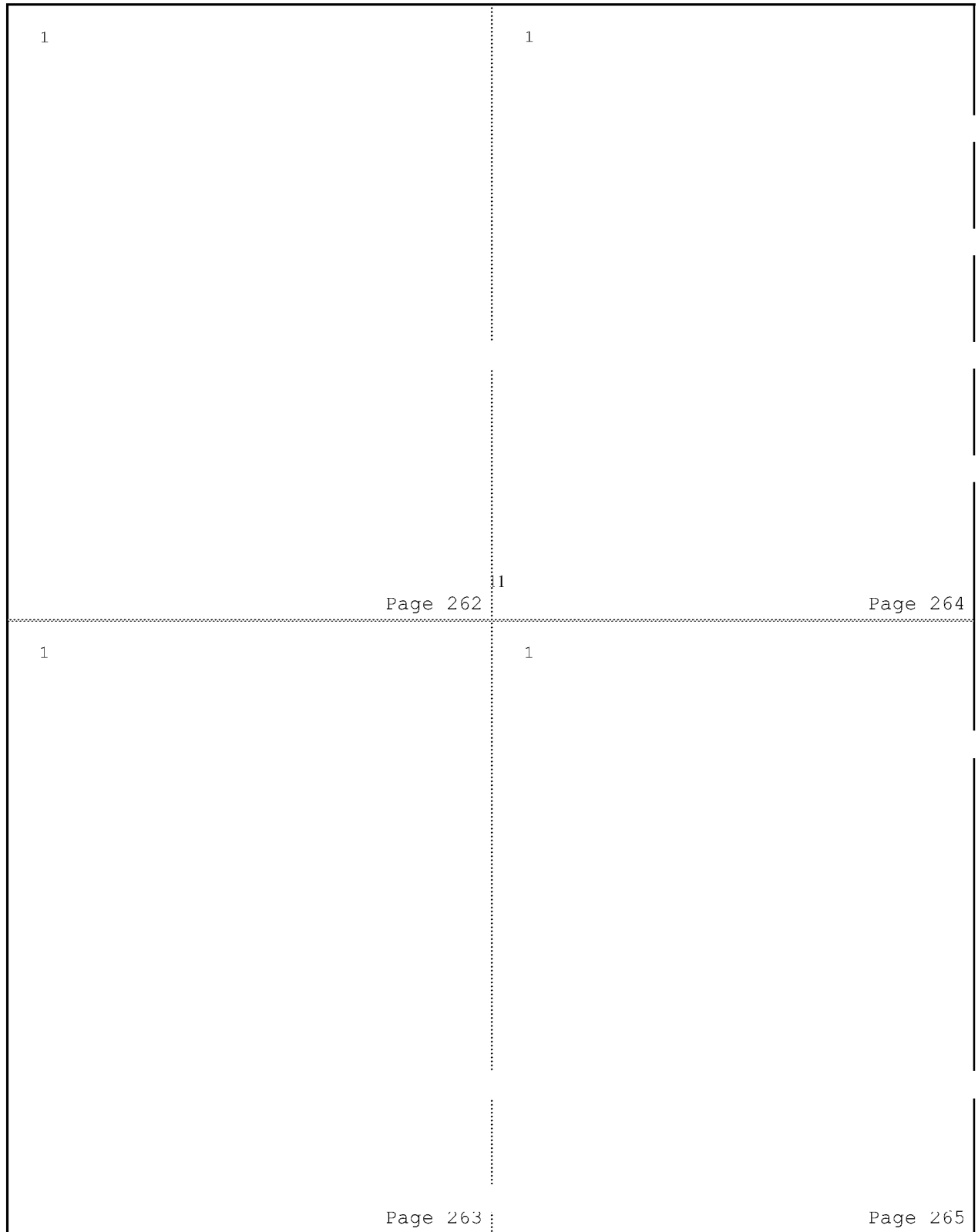
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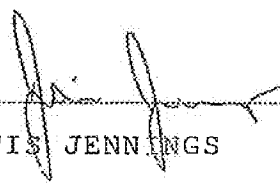
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